

RESOLUTION NO. 97-184

A RESOLUTION OF THE LODI CITY COUNCIL  
SETTING LATE FEES FOR DELINQUENT UTILITY BILLS

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the City Council that the enterprise activities (water, sewer, electric, and solid waste) of the City be efficiently managed and based on sound economic principles by following prudent business practices; and

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the City Council to encourage customers to pay utility bills on a timely basis and to discourage delinquent utility bills; and

WHEREAS, it is the policy of the City Council that City staff will be sensitive to customer hardships or other unusual circumstances that preclude timely payment of utility bills.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Lodi City Council that the following late fees for delinquent utility bills is approved and that the Finance Director may waive these fees when in his/her opinion a customer has presented reasonable evidence of financial hardship or convincing information that timely payment could not have been expected:

**OPTION 2:**

First	Utility Rate Only
Second	Utility Rate plus \$ 5.00 late charge
Third	Utility Rate plus \$15.00 late charge
Final	Utility Rate plus \$25.00 late charge

Dated: November 5, 1997

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I hereby certify that Resolution No. 97-184 was passed and adopted by the City Council of the City of Lodi in a regular meeting held November 5, 1997, by the following vote:

Ayes: Council Members – Land, Sieglock and Warner

Noes: Council Members – Mann and Pennino (Mayor)

Absent: Council Members – None

Abstain: Council Members – None

  
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ALICE M. REIMCHE  
City Clerk